



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 1464**  
Natsuki MAKINO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1739A  
Serial No. 10/724,044 : Group Art Unit 1742  
Filed December 1, 2003 : Examiner Henry D. Wilkins III  
ELECTROLYTIC PROCESSING : **Mail Stop: Amendment**  
APPARATUS AND METHOD

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of August 31, 2006.

The fee of \$1,020.00 is

- ☒ submitted herewith.  
☐ to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.  
☐ Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which  
☐ is enclosed.  
☐ has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
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